

SEMINOLE COUNTY COMMUNITY
TRAFFIC SAFETY TEAM
November 27, 2012 Minutes

Attendees:

Robin Butler, SFD
Terri Touchton, SCTE/SFD
Jeff Napier, LMPD
JoJo Sturm, SCSO
Jim Martin, SunRail
John Moore, UCFPD
Katrina Zorn, CPD
Dennis Lynch, OPD
Shad Smith, SCE
Tina Leman, SPD
Lorna Hall, Lynx
Colleen Jarrell, HNTB

Mike Blinn, SCTE
Joe Steward, FDOT
Sheryl Bradley, HNTB/FDOT
Ann Buwa, SCSO
Will Maxwell, WSPD
Brian Wood, SCSO
Rob Ladoczky, Jr., LPD
Dacia Maisonave, SCSO
James Roark, SCPS
James Stevens, FHP/CVE
Kevin Vaughn, FHP/CVE

Robin opened the meeting at 8:32.

Colleen made motion to approve the October 23, 2012 minutes and Rob seconded the motion.

Robin advised the two overhead, no right on red, LED's came in and would be installed this week. Discussion regarding Wednesday folders and JoJo advised she had not heard anything as yet.

Cheryl advised she followed up with Tony on the 419 SW request from JoJo and there are currently no projects that could include the program and it does not meet the criteria for GAP. After discussion regarding other alternatives, it was advised it was roughly 900 LF and would cost approximately \$20,000 plus design cost.

Lake Mary PD was not present to discuss Thanksgiving Day Operation and it was not known if an operation was conducted.

JoJo advised that the Carl's Safe Crossing Campaign at Layer Elementary went very well with the PE teacher assisting them. The helmet presentation was done and the kids were amazed at the difference between damage to the brain with a helmet and without a helmet. Traffic Engineering has provided signage for setting up that will assist kids in recognition of crossing signs, etc. Robin requested JoJo produce a power point to be shown at the next meeting. Sheryl asked about numbers and JoJo indicated there were 300 – 400 participants and they expect approximately 800 for the upcoming campaign at Lawton Elementary on November 30th. Sheryl discussed this being submitted for \$2,500 that would be awarded. Sheryl advised further information would be forthcoming in December.

New Business

Will advised the Santa Motor Run would be held on December 20th to benefit Boys Town in Oviedo, beginning at Metro Church at 5:00 p.m. He will be picking up donations. The Cops and Kids Car Show will be held on January 26th, 10:00 – 4:00 at the Oviedo Mall. Notices for applications sent out; however if someone has not received, they should contact him.

Jim with SunRail discussed various outreach opportunities for Operation Lifesaver and advised they will be pursuing a much larger outreach in the upcoming year. He suggested partnership with JoJo to reach schools. A number of other suggestions were made to Jim and he requested he be advised of any others.

Fatality Review:

Mike noted it was taking a long time to receive reports and Kevin indicated they have gone from 10 to 4 homicide investigators, which could be part of the problem. He indicated that Wooster Dow Woodward is the new Traffic Homicide Sergeant and his e-mail address is woosterwoodward@flhsmv.gov.

8/8/12 (417 @ Rinehart) - suicide attempt

9/9/12 (I-4 @ Lake Mary Blvd) – It was noted that it was in a construction zone; however, due to time lapse and lack of information on report, nothing can be determined

9/14/12 (417 @ 1-4) – suicide attempt

After further discussion regarding receipt of reports, Kevin suggested that Wooster be invited to the meeting for further discussion.

Joe indicated he is working on a report of high crash sites and upcoming projects and Shad and Mike indicated they would like to receive once complete.

Roadway Safety Assessment:

- 46A and I-4 – letter from DOT indicates they don't see anything they can do and if Seminole County Traffic wants to install supplemental signal in median they can. Mike to follow up with Charlie.
- Slavia and 426 – Shad to have Atkins look at. Shad to get with Robert Fitzgerald.
- Tuskawilla @ Trail – Shad to have Atkins look at.

Problems & Solutions:

- Mike reviewed problems and solutions with Robin indicating she would respond to Mr. Krienke regarding Palm Springs Rd (2012-15).

Announcements:

- Carl's Safe Crossing Campaign, Lawton Elementary on November 30th and Sterling Elementary on December 7th.
- Pedestrian Safety Event, December 10th – 14th, ASPD hosting.
- Safety Zone @ Sterling Park Elementary, December 18th, 7:30 – 8:45 a.m.
- New Years Eve Operation, December 31st, FHP
- CPS Certification Class, December 3rd – 7th, 201 Valentine Way (FTC), 8:30 – 5:00. Local users fee waived for members.

- Kevin indicated he is now with Commercial Vehicle Enforcement and anyone needing outreach can advise him. At Robin's question, he indicated this also included emergency vehicles and Robin indicated desire to schedule presentation at FTC.
- JoJo questioned handrails on SR 434, Winter Park Drive to Winter Springs Elementary to separate sidewalk from street. Robin requested it be submitted under problems and solutions.
- Next meeting is the annual breakfast. Robin indicated she would like to work on the 2013 calendar and discussed need to plan better for enforcement activities.
- SCFD is taking over Safe Kids and that creates further opportunities.

There being no further discussion, meeting was adjourned.

Next meeting is Tuesday, November 27th.